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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers--Filing Date Granted mailed March 8, 2001, Applicant hereby attaches a Separate Letter to the Official Draftsperson, Formal Drawings (FIGs. 1, 2A, 2B, 3, 4, 5, 6A, 6B, 7A, 7B, 8, and 9), and the copy of the Notice to be returned with this response.

Applicant believes no charges are due in connection with the submission of these papers, however the Commissioner is authorized to charge any other fees that may be due to our Deposit Account No. 50-0805 (Order No. ADAPP173).

Respectfully submitted,
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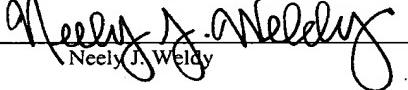
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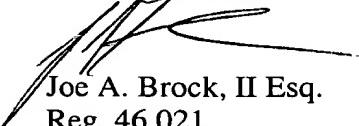
Separate Letter to the Official Draftsperson

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers—Filing Date Granted mailed March 8, 2001, indicating that substitute formal drawings are now required, enclosed herewith are the formal drawings (FIGs. 1, 2A, 2B, 3, 4, 5, 6A, 6B, 7A, 7B, 8, and 9)), for the above-referenced case. If the draftsperson has any questions concerning these drawings, please contact the undersigned at the number set forth below. If any fees are due in connection with the filing of these drawings, please charge such fees to deposit account 50-0805 (Order No ADAPP173).

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NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Filing Date Granted

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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